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H.B. 7218, H.B. 7219

Senator Winfield, Representative Stafstrom, ranking members Kissel and Rebimbas and distinguished members of the Joint Committee on the Judiciary:

My name is Colleen Clark, I am from Guilford

I am testifying in **support** of H.B. 7218, An Act Concerning the Safe Storage of Firearms in the Home.

I support this bill because it is important to ensure that people secure their guns. If people are not held accountable for their unsecured guns, then other people may have access to guns who are not responsible enough to handle them. All guns, both loaded and unloaded, need to be responsibly stored. As a parent, I am particularly concerned about the safety of all children. No family should ever have to endure the unimaginable pain of losing a loved one to the senseless violence brought about through the use of unsecured weapons. Please vote in favor of "Ethan's Law" which will save many lives in the future.

I strongly support H.B. 7218, H.B. 7219 and S.B. 60 and urge you to favorably vote these bills out of the Judiciary Committee.

Sincerely,

Colleen Clark Guilford Ct